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Atty. Dkt. No. 054707-0164

Appl. No. 09/741,437

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Gregory S. HAMILTON

Title: HYDANTOIN DERIVATIVE COMPOUNDS,
PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS, AND
METHODS OF USING SAME

Appl. No.: 09/741,437

Appl. Filing Date: 12/21/2000

Examiner: Laura L. Stockton

Art Unit: 1626

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. § 141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. § 145 or § 146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114: (check items that apply)

a. Previously submitted:

[X] Please enter and consider the amendment/reply previously filed on July 25, 2003.

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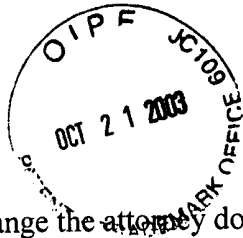
| | Claims as Amended | Previously Paid For | Extra Claims Present | Rate | Fee Totals |
|--|-------------------|---------------------|----------------------|------------|------------|
| RCE Fee 1.17(e) | | | | \$770.00 | \$770.00 |
| Total Claims: | 11 | 62 | = 0 | x \$18.00 | = \$0.00 |
| Independents: | 3 | 12 | = 0 | x \$86.00 | = \$0.00 |
| First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims: | | | | + \$290.00 | = \$0.00 |
| CLAIMS FEE TOTAL: | | | | | = \$770.00 |

[] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

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| [] Extension for response filed within the first month: | \$110.00 | \$0.00 |
| [] Extension for response filed within the second month: | \$420.00 | \$0.00 |
| [] Extension for response filed within the third month: | \$950.00 | \$0.00 |
| [] Extension for response filed within the fourth month: | \$1,480.00 | \$0.00 |
| [] Extension for response filed within the fifth month: | \$2,010.00 | \$0.00 |
| EXTENSION FEE TOTAL: | | \$0.00 |
| CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL: | | \$770.00 |
| [X] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above): | | \$385.00 |
| [] Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) | | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL FEE: | | \$385.00 |

[X] Check number **32004** in the amount of **\$385.00** to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.



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Please change the attorney docket number to **054707-0164**.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date 10/21/03

By 

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Should additional fees be necessary in connection with the filing of this paper, or if a petition for extension of time is required for timely acceptance of same, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 for any such fees; and applicant(s) hereby petition for any needed extension of time.